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PATENT APPLICATION  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICATION OF	)	
	)	GROUP NO.: 1712
PETER BIER ET AL	)	
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SERIAL NUMBER: 10/673,906	)	EXAMINER: Michael J. Feely
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FILED: SEPTEMBER 29, 2003	)	
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TITLE: MULTILAYERED ARTICLE	)	
AND A PROCESS FOR ITS	)	
PREPARATION	)	

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 28, 2006, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

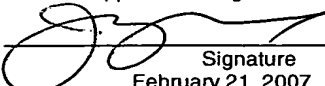
**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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